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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE Address to: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket Confirmation No.	CLON-056US2 3721
	First Named Inventor	Grigoriy S. Tchaga
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	Group Art Unit	1653
	Examiner Name	Agnes Beata Rooke
	Title	METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR PROTEIN PURIFICATION

Dear Sir;

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated August 10, 2006 for which a three month period for response was given, making this response due on or before November 10, 2006. As such, this response is timely filed.

In view of the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.